

The T.O.S. Village News

(The Theosophical Order of Service)

30 August 2015

Coming Events

- **Taizé Meditation -** 4 September 15 @ 6pm Liberal Catholic Church, Lacey St Perth
- * World Peace Meditation and Afternoon Tea Sunday 20 Sept15 @ 1:30 pm, Glendower St
- * **TOS AGM -** Sunday 20 Sept15 @ 3 pm, Glendower St, Glendower St, Perth
- Tuesday Night Talk & Supper 22 Sept 15 @ 6:30pm - The Colour of Health - Food for Life

TOS Yoga Day @ Mt Helena - 24 October 15. Register with the TS Library. Cost \$10

Welcome to the Village

At a recent TOS Committee meeting, we agreed that we would pace ourselves and not over extend ourselves. For a group that is pacing itself, we are achieving a lot.

September will be another busy month. But first I have 2 important "Thank you" s to make. **Anne Bower** has been the Treasurer of the TOS for the last 3 years. She has quietly, with the minimum of fuss kept control of the TOS funds in a reliable and accurate manner. She has given thoughtful and measured advice, which I have valued. This last year has seen Anne working in the roles of TOS Treasurer, TS Secretary and TOS Meditation Coordinator. Some thing had to give. It has been way too much work. Anne has decided to step down as Treasurer. We sincerely thank Anne for her dedication.

The other Thank You is to **Pat Gorham**, our volunteer Auditor. Pat has pressing family commitments and this year we felt we could not impose and ask her to do the TOS audit. Pat has audited the TOS finances for 3 years on a volunteer basis and we are grateful. During our search for someone to do this years audit, we approach a professional auditor, who quoted \$300 to do the audit. This means Pat's efforts have save \$900 in fees, which have been donated the very worthy cause of the fight against Ebola. Thank you Pat, we appreciate your generosity.

The TOS is searching for a new volunteer Treasurer. Anne is happy to teach you the ropes. If you are able to assist us, please contact me.

Best wishes

Rhonda Phillips, TOS Chairperson

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TOS Open Day 20 September 2015

The Perth branch of the TOS is hosting an open day on Sunday, 20 September. We will hold a musical meditation which will commencing at 1:30 pm. The meditation will be followed by an afternoon tea. Please bring a plate to share. There is a flyer at the end of this newsletter.

TOS AGM 20 September 2015

After the meditation and tea, we will hold our AGM at 3:00pm. You are welcome to attend, but there is no pressure. Leaving at completion of afternoon tea is fine.

TOS Supper & Talk The Colour of Health - Food for Life 22 September 2015

Ali Jardine will talk to us about Vegetarian food, the colour of our food and her observations of the links with the Chakra system. This should be a very interesting evening.

Yoga Day @ Mount Helena 24 October 2015

Once again, Gailene will run our Yoga Day. It is sure to be a relaxing and informative event. The cost is \$10 and you are invited to bring a plate to share at lunch time. Gailene creates an enlightening and happy day. There are practical yoga sessions and theory sections. The last yoga day was well attended and thoroughly enjoyable.

TS Annual Convention 16 –23 January 2016

We are lucky. The January 2016 TS Convention is being held in Western Australia at UWA. **Tim Boyd** the recently elected International President of the TS and TOS is the keynote speaker. This will be an opportunity to listen to and meet the man who will set the agenda for the TS and TOS in the coming years. Usually, the conventions are held in the Eastern States and costly for us in the West to attend. This year you will gain admission for \$40. It seems like too good an opportunity to pass up. Come join us. There is more information on the next page.

TOS MEMBERSHIP FORM

I_____(first name)_____(Surname) wish to join the Theosophical Order of Service – Western Australian Incorporated.

My address:

My email: _____

My Phone number: _____

Annual Membership Fee: \$5.00

Cheque to: "The Theosophical Order of Service" Mail to: TOS, C/- 21 Glendower St, Perth, 6000

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Or

EFT \$5.00 in to the TOS Bendigo Bank BSB: 633-000 Account: 116559105 Reference: Your full name

And send an email to <u>tosperth@gmail.com</u> advising of the deposit including your name, address and phone number.

2016 NATIONAL TS CONVENTION

Meet the International President, Tim Boyd Keynote Speaker





Theme: Today's World Problems: Insights from the Wisdom Tradition



Dates: Sat 16 - Sat 23 January

Where?

University Hall, Perth de

Cost:



Registration and further information:

> www.austheos.or au/what's on



The Theosophical Order of Service - WA Inc.

We are a humanitarian service group who work to help others, near and far, and in the process transform ourselves.

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New members are welcome, however it is not necessary to be a member to attend our functions. **You are welcome**.

